



CLEO EDGE
Pre-Law
Scholarship

The Legal Profession is Waiting for You

Apply Today for a \$2500
CLEO EDGE Pre-Law Scholarship
for 2020 Pre-Law Summer Institute

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Because lawyers impact every aspect of American life, CLEO envisions a more diverse and inclusive legal profession. CLEO is pleased to announce a pre-law scholarship, made possible by the generosity of Walmart and other legal professionals, that helps increase access to law school for diverse and under-represented students with a demonstrated financial need.

We encourage you to apply for the \$2,500 CLEO EDGE Pre-Law scholarship to be used for summer of 2020 at the Pre-Law Summer Institute.

Timeline

- ★ Application Opens: February 1, 2020
- ★ Application closes: **MARCH 31, 2020**
- ★ Scholars announced: Mid May

Eligibility Requirements

- ★ U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- ★ Graduating senior or graduate who plans to attend law school in the fall of 2020
- ★ Must have a 2.7 GPA
- ★ Able to attend an ABA-approved law school at completion of program
- ★ Demonstrated financial need

Application Requirements

- ★ Must apply to CLEO Pre-Law Summer Institute using the online application at cleoinc.org/plsi
- ★ CLEO will use the Free Application for Federal Financial Aid (FAFSA) guidelines to determine applicant's low-income eligibility.
- ★ Video essay profile

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Covering Your Demonstrated Need

Introducing a new scholarship for participants in the Council on Legal Education Opportunity's (CLEO) **Pre-Law Summer Institute (PLSI)**, the preeminent program to help aspiring lawyers be prepared for law school.

Through the generosity of Walmart and other legal professionals, CLEO will award 7 scholarships to qualified applicants to the CLEO 2020 Pre-Law Summer Institute. These scholarships help increase access to law school for diverse and under-represented students with a demonstrated financial need.



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ADDITIONAL PROCEDURES AND GUIDELINES

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Applicants must have a 2.7 GPA

ACADEMIC/ECONOMIC BACKGROUND

Applicants can be:

- ★ First generation college student
- ★ Family income dependent in whole or part on public assistance
- ★ Reared in a rurally isolated environment
- ★ A Minority Group Isolated School attendee

ETHNIC BACKGROUND

Registrant can:

- ★ Be bi/multilingual
- ★ Identify as African; African American; American Indian/Alaska Native; Asian;
- ★ Hispanic/Latino; Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander; Puerto Rican
- ★ U.S. citizen, Permanent Resident

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

CLEO will use the FAFSA guidelines to determine applicant's low-income eligibility.

SUPPLEMENTARY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants will be required to create a video essay of two (2) minutes or less discussing why you should be a CLEO EDGE Pre-Law Scholarship recipient.

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